

Chess

- An ancient game that facilitates the development of the mind.
- A battleground that can only be navigated safely by keen observation and deduction.
- A generator of moments of high tension requiring cool nerves.
- An abstract sparring device that improves self-confidence.
- A physical equalizer, where young and old, big and small compete as equals

Chess is all these things and more.

Chess can foster skills that will be helpful in any future pursuit.

Join us as we learn about chess through lesson and practice.

Participants should have at least a basic knowledge of chess as well as a current USCF membership

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